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Mrs. Louis Lizana received word from her son Milton, E. M. 1/c, he is overseas again after spending a few months in the States. Mrs. Lizana hasn't seen her son since December 7th, 1941.

Wayne Mauffray is home on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Necaise visited friends and relatives here this week end.

Mrs. Frank J. Moran visited her mother Mrs. Louis Lizana this week end.

Mr. Cashmere Garriga visited his sister in Gulfport Sunday, Mrs. Kathrene Cuevas.

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Vesper Services For Bay High Seniors Held Sunday

Vesper Services for the Bay High Seniors were held on Sunday afternoon at six o'clock in the school auditorium.

The procession was played by Mrs. Natalie B. Watson and two vocal numbers were given by the Boys' Chorus.

Rev. E. E. Samples brought the Vesper Message to the class, the theme of which was that these young people were meeting a world where everything has lost its meaning and that they must take with them a faith adequate to sustain them in this world and that it must be a Christian faith such as Paul's.

Mrs. J. W. Woolwine Dies At Yazoo City

News reached here last week that Mrs. J. W. Woolwine of Yazoo City had died at the Baptist Hospital at Jackson, following a major operation last week. Mrs. Woolwine had served two terms as State president of the Mississippi Branch of the International Order of Kings Daughters and Sons and attended the state convention when it met in Bay St. Louis.

She was a graduate of the University of Tennessee and has had a volume of her verses published.

Mrs. Woolwine was a comparatively young woman and her passing leaves a vacancy in the roll of prominent women. She had several close friends in Bay St. Louis who personally grieve at her passing.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 4805

Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of Jodie E. Lott, Sr., deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 1st day of May, 1944, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the Clerk of said Court and to have them probated and allowed within six months from this date, failure to do so will bar the claim.

This the 1st day of May, 1944.

W. H. WHITE
Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Mrs. Amelia Letten, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Miss., on the 19th day of April, 1944, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to do so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This the 21st day of April, A. D. 1944.

JULES ARTHUR LETTEN,
Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. Amelia Letten, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Mrs. Margaret Cull, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 28th day of April, 1944, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to do so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This the 28th day of April, A. D. 1944.

MARGARET CULL,
Administratrix of the Estate of Mrs. Margaret Cull, Deceased.

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Kathryn Grayson, Gene Kelly, Mary Astor and John Boles head the cast in the delightful tale of the Army officer's daughter who undertakes a morale job at her father's camp and falls in love with an ex-circus performer and proceeds to make him the best soldier in camp. In the course of the film a gigantic USO show is presented to the boys in camp. Among those who appear in the many acts are Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland, Red Skelton, Eleanor Powell, Ann Southern, Lucille Ball, Virginia O'Brien, Frank Morgan, Lena Horne, Little Margaret O'Brien, Marilyn Maxwell and Martha Hunt and many others.

Jose Iturbi, in his first appearance on the screen, displays an outstanding talent as an actor and in addition to his fine musical selections accompanies Judy Garland in a genuine live number that should tear the house down. Kathryn Grayson makes a charming and appealing young concert singer and sings several numbers. Gene Kelly proves himself to be one of the greatest dancers on the screen with his mop and broom routine.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: Heirs at Law of Frederick Praetorius, Sr., deceased.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said state on the First Monday of November, 1944 to answer the suit No. 4811 in said court of Leo F. Praetorius, Cyril John Praetorius, Monica Snow Praetorius, wife of V. H. Bridges, Zeno Benjamin Praetorius, Wilfred Louis Praetorius, Anna Marie Praetorius, wife of John Peyton, Bertha Isabelle Praetorius, Edna Emma Praetorius, widow of Edgar Rochelle, Dorothy Praetorius, wife of Vincent Skinner, Frederick Rohr Praetorius and Giles Thomas Praetorius, wherein you are defendants; being a suit by the said petitioners to have themselves recognized and decreed to be the sole and only surviving heirs at law of the said Frederick Praetorius, Sr., deceased.

This the 18th day of May, A. D. 1944.
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that the TEMPORARY MUNICIPAL DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE of the City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi, which was duly elected at a Mass Meeting, called as by law provided, and held at the City Hall of said City, pursuant to said call, at eleven o'clock (11:00) A. M. on the twenty-ninth (29th) day of April, A. D. 1944, has called the FIRST PRIMARY ELECTION for Saturday the fifteenth (15th) day of July, A. D. 1944, and the SECOND PRIMARY, if the same shall be necessary on the TWENTY-SECOND (22nd) day of July, A. D. 1944, for the nomination of a Mayor and two (2) Commissioners of the said City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi.

All candidates for Mayor and Commissioner are required to file the affidavit as required by the "CORRUPT PRACTICES ACT" with the Clerk of the City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi, as provided for by the said "ACT" as amended.

All persons or candidates in order to get their names on the ticket as a qualified candidate for the said Municipal Election, must file a request therewith with one of the Members of the Temporary Municipal Democratic Executive Committee of the City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi, ON OR BEFORE THE FOURTEENTH (14th) DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1944.

ORDERED, this the second (2nd) day of May, A. D. 1944.

GEO. F. STEVENSON
Geo. F. Stevenson, Chairman, Temporary Municipal Democratic Executive Committee of the City of Bay Saint Louis, Miss.

ATTEST:

A. A. SCAFFIDE
Secretary.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND

By virtue of the authority vested in me by decree of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, rendered on the 9th day of May, 1944, in cause No. 4781 on the docket of said court wherein Grace Gwendolyn Mitchell, et al, are complainants and Earl E. Mitchell is defendant, the undersigned Special Commissioner will on

MONDAY THE 5TH DAY OF JUNE, 1944

within lawful hours offer for sale and sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the court house of said county the land situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, and described as follows: to-wit:

The NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 and the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 33, Township 6 South, Range 16 West, less the East 60 feet thereof conveyed by E. E. Mitchell and wife F. A. Mitchell, to The Inez Fruit and Nursery Company by deed recorded in Book D-5, page 73 of the deed records of said county.

Said land will be offered as a whole and sold in one body.

Given under my hand this the 11th day of May, A. D. 1944.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE
Special Commissioner.

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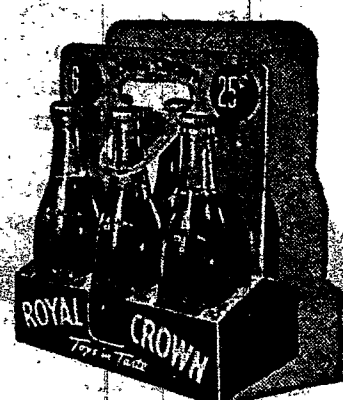
One of the most widely-read novels to be brought to the screen in many seasons, "Jane Eyre" will draw its audiences from women of all ages who delight in a purely romantic story, splendidly set and costumed, and generously cast. That total should be a very impressive number, the tenor of the story and the performances of Joan Fontaine, Orson Welles and Margaret O'Brien.

It is a costume piece, but not time is lost in establishing the manner of the period or the slight social implications of the story. The focus is always on characters and the atmosphere in which they move.

The film opens with the cruelties of Jane's childhood, follows her through years of happiness and tragedy at Thornfield Hall to her eventual marriage with Edward Rochester. It reaches the dramatic climax when Rochester's first marriage, long hinted at, is revealed at the altar of his second.

If the cruelties and tragedies seem rather excessive, the basic love story is tender and triumphant.

Joan Fontaine plays Jane with becoming modesty and openness, holding audience's sympathy to the end and creating an aura of radiant virtue which offers a unique contrast to the somber scene. Orson Welles is a Rochester cut from the familiar pattern of the romantic novel, a man of mystery, of dark moods, sharp wit and sudden gentleness. He brings to the role a commanding presence, a rich flexible voice and a great relish for play-acting. Margaret O'Brien is slightly hampered by accent but plays the master's ward with bright charm.



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Gainesville News

Mr. Frankie Davis spent Sunday in Bay St. Louis.

Mrs. Cora Davis' daughter, Sadie and her husband spent Sunday with her.

Mrs. Abbie Russ was a visitor in Gainesville Tuesday.

Mrs. Cora Schulthies spent the

week end in Gulfport with her children.

Mrs. John Jones spent Sunday in Logtown with her daughter, Mrs. Arnold Carver.

Mrs. Tommie Patch visited in Bay St. Louis Tuesday.

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Aaron Academy

Mrs. Louise Amaker returned home Sunday A. M. after spending nine weeks in San Francisco with her husband. She spent one day with her brother Pvt. Dempsey Gibson in San Louis Obispo, both men are O. K. and Louise reports a wonderful trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Frierson, Mrs. Louis Thigpen were business visitors to Bogalouza Friday. They visited Mrs. Isaac Frierson's parents Mr. and Mrs. O. Malley, while there.

The Rival closed at Cedar Grove Friday night several additions to the church were received. Enormous crowds attended.

We have quite a list of boys and girls from Aaron Academy graduating at Picaune this year. Among these Loya Lee Alsobooks, Dora Lee Stewart, Adell Kellar, Waine Frierson and Edward Thigpen, Loya Lee and Adell, had planned to enter college as soon as school is out.

Mrs. Roy Thigpen and daughter Patricia Ann returned home after spending the week in Monroe, La., with Mrs. Roy Davis.

The Home Coming, at Old Palestine (better known as "Red Hill") was well attended. Lunch was served to all. Videt Polk well known leader and singer directed the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Frierson has received a notice from the War Dept. saying their son Elvis is a prisoner of war in Germany. He is slightly wounded.

Mrs. Houston Frierson has gone to Camp Bowie, Texas, to spend a few days with her husband. She left the baby with his grandmother.

Mrs. Dolph Thigpen and two sons plan to go to St. Petersburg Florida to stay with Dolph as long as he remains in the States.

Mr. and Mrs. Errol Bridgers and son Carol from New Orleans and Miss Olivia Bridgers of North Carolina, visited Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Frierson Monday afternoon.

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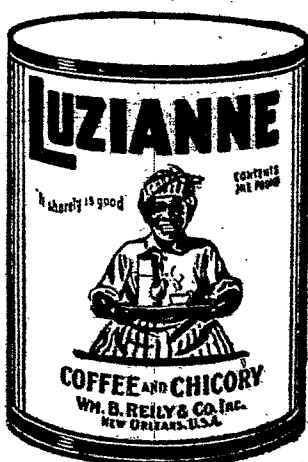
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Sellers News

Mr. Toxic Smith spent the week end with relatives in Sellers and Sleep Hollow.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Ladner visited relatives in Nacaise Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Saucier and baby are spending a few days with her mother-in-law Mrs. Florence Saucier. Her husband Ralph has been recently shipped.

PFC. Horace Ladner is home on a furlough. He was the recipient of a dinner Sunday given in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ladner. It was largely attended and every one enjoyed being with Horace.

Mr. Carl Shaw and sister June visited their aunt Mrs. Harold Mitchell in Lumberton Hospital, she is the proud parents of a baby boy.

Mrs. J. S. Shaw and children spent the week end in Lumberton with relatives.

Mrs. Ford Smith is spending the week end with relatives in Mendenhall, Miss.

Mrs. Lora Ladner and Edna King were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Ladner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howard spent Sunday with Mrs. Florence Saucier.

Mr. Sam Favre, Jr., and mother spent Thursday with Mrs. Willie Ladner combining business with pleasure.

Mr. J. S. Shaw was a business visitor in New Orleans the past week.

Flat Top News

Funeral services for James (Buster) Lee were held Sunday, May 14, at 3 o'clock p. m. at Caesar Baptist Church. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. S. P. Powell with charge of arrangements.

Mr. Lee met with an accident last Wednesday when he was hit with a tree which caused his death. He was taken to the Baptist Hospital in New Orleans where he died at 11:20 o'clock Friday night.

He was the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee of Flat Top Community. He is survived by his parents and eight brothers and sisters.

Mrs. Felton Whitfield has been ill with a serious eye infection, but she is rapidly improving. Mr. Felton Whitfield is still in Touro Infirmary, but is improving.

Pvt. Leamon Mitchell arrived home Friday with an honorable discharge from the U. S. Army. He has been in service since November, 1942.

Pvt. Hollis Daughdrill left Sunday to return to a camp in Georgia. He has been spending several days here with his wife and baby. His wife is the former Miss Ruby Nell Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McQueen of Crosby, Miss., were here Sunday to attend the funeral of Buster Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Pigott from Rhode Island arrived here Thursday to spend a ten day furlough with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pigott. Bernie is in the U. S. Navy, when he returns he expects to go for overseas service.

Catahoula News

The people of Catahoula extend to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee their deepest sympathy in the loss of their oldest child James Dewey "Buster" Lee.

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"THOUSANDS CHEER"
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Tuesday
ROSEMARY LANE
JOHN DOWNS ORCHESTRA
RALPH MORGAN in
"TROCADERO"
Plus—Latest News
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Also Tuesday Night Attraction

Wednesday-Thursday
"HITLES CHILDREN"
with TIM HOLT
BONITA GRANVILLE
Same Story as in Readers Digest
Also—13th Chapter of "THE BAT MAN"
Latest News

Waveland News

Farewell Party Honoring Jerome Henley

Mrs. W. A. Johnson entertained at her home for her son Jerome Henley who will soon leave for service. Many were present on this occasion enjoying dancing, music was furnished by Jack Brown's string band. Refreshments were served. The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Chris Ladner and sons, Charles and Levy. Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Henley, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henley, Jr., Mrs. Emile Fayard, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Fayard, Jr., Mr. John Fayard, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Fayard, Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Talluto, Mr. and Mrs. William Mays, Mrs. Carl Fricke, Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Misses Carmen and Ruth Ellen Monteleone, Audrey and Georgeette Mays, Joyce Vickery Joyce Yvonne Henley, Diane Henley, Jean Fayard, Mona Ray Roberts, Masters Robert Henley III, Oscar Davis, L. Pucheu, Dan, R. L. and Ray Fayard, A. J. Fayard, Emile Henley.

Graduate Luncheon Tuesday, May 16th, 1 P. M.

The annual luncheon sponsored by the Mothers Club honoring the 8th grade graduates of Waveland School given at Mollere's Chickenburger is always an outstanding occasion for these students and teachers. The luncheon tables with colorful flowers were very pretty. Each student being presented with a gift by the club and fitted the occasion. The girls receiving costume jewelry and the boys belts.

Those attending were Misses Bobbie Jenkins, Lanell Price, Julie Soladini, Charla Deane Russell, Jean Pritchard, Earl Ladner, Ray Michael Bourgeois, Calvin Lapyade; Mrs. Irwin and Mrs. W. H. Russell, Miss Mary Perkins, Miss Margaret Zimmernan, Mrs. Herman Mazarakis, Miss Betty Casio, Mrs. Marie Weber.

The Westefeldt family returned to Michigan. Both children attended Waveland School. Dolores having completed the 8th grade studies.

Fred Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourgeois is doing nicely having had his tonsils removed on Saturday, May 13 in Kings Daughters Hospital in Bay St. Louis. Drs. Eldredge and Smith attending.

Bert Ladner, son of Mayor and Mrs. Garfield Ladner had a very narrow escape when he jumped from an auto in motion. Thinking he would be tardy for school he took the chance to help make up lost time. He suffered only slight effects by hurting his arm which necessitated attention given at Kings Daughters Hospital, Bay St. Louis. Bert making perfect attendance during the past term of school.

Clyde Joseph, son of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Bourgeois is doing nicely recovering from his tonsillitis operation performed on Saturday, May 13. Dr. Kotz Allen was in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bourgeois have returned from Holly Springs, Miss., having spent a most delightful vacation in typical country surroundings—the home of Mrs. Bourgeois.

Miss Melanie Bourgeois had as her guests to dinner on Sunday Misses Shirley Ladner, Amelia and Dorothy Bertucci.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Carrio and daughters, Isabel and Betty were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Villere and children, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bucher, Mr. Ed Tucker.

The deceased was a patient in Hotel Dieu Hospital in New Orleans. Death was from injuries received by a falling tree.

"Buster" was a graduate of Caesar School and attended school at Kiln High for one year. The funeral services were held in Union Church with Rev. S. P. Powell officiating. Many beautiful floral offerings were received from friends and relatives.

The deceased is survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee, four sisters and four brothers. Interment was in Caesar cemetery with McDonald Funeral Directors in charge. Pallbearers were his closest friends and cousin, Leroy Lee, Hayward Flemings, Harlan Bounds, Wilbur Mitchell and Elgin and Wilfred Mitchell.

Miss Doris Cuevas who is a student at Pearl River College spent the week end here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Seal of Picaune spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. E. G. Harel and Doris and Doris Cuevas spent Sunday in Salem Community.

Mrs. Lucy Seal went to New Orleans Thursday to be with her sister Mrs. Ira Lee who was at the bed side of her son.

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Kiln News

A birthday party was given for Master Eddie Chouest last week on his 3rd birthday. Those attending were C. J. and Beverly Jean Maurtray, Sue and Marie Favre, Margaret Josie, Doris and Harlan Bennett, Herman, Marie and Owen Bounds, Henry Steen, Andy Lott, Christine Hart, Myrna Faye and Shirley Ne-caise, Carol and Laurie Curet, Huey and Hoey Curet, Mrs. Shell Ne-caise, Wilma Ne-caise, Nellie Ne-caise, Belle Hart, Ella Gonzales and Miss Vivian Ne-caise.

Mrs. Mamie Nelson spent several days in Picaune last week, with Mrs. Ira Gipson who was seriously ill.

Mrs. Francis Perkins spent several days in New Orleans last week.

Mr. Stanley Koch, Jr., and family of Jackson, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Koch, Sr.,

Andrew Fuente of Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Pepperdene spent Sunday with Judge and Mrs. Frutus Fuente.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Ladner, Pvt. and Mrs. Herman Mazarakis of Waveland, Mr. and Chester Travira of Picaune and son Chester, Jr., of State College were guests of Supervisor Ne-caise and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bills, Jr., of Bay St. Louis, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Billo.

A shower was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Billo Sunday. Many fine gifts were received.

Fairley Ne-caise is spending a 14 day furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Ne-caise.

Pvt. Carl Moran and Pfc. "Bud" Genin have returned to their respective camps.

Mr. Camille and family and J. E. Favre and family motored to New Orleans to spend Mothers Day with Mrs. Curet's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cretors spent Sunday with Mrs. Delphine Curet.

Mrs. Carrie Gatewood and daughters and Mr. Lester Ne-caise all of New Orleans spent the week end with Mrs. Cella Ne-caise and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haas.

Mr. Buck Lott visited his mother and sister on Sunday.

Mr. Toulme Netto, Mrs. Edith Giles and Miss Alicia Ne-caise spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Castro.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hall spent the week end with Mrs. Hall's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jesse A. Lott.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Duboussion and family, Mrs. Leicester Beam and Mr. Lee Fuente were visitors in Kiln Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Haas recently underwent an operation in the hospital at Bay St. Louis and is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hart and children and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hart Sr., visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Campbell in Picaune Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. O. Crockdock and Miss Beulah Marson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Marson Sunday.

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News and Short Subjects.

Saturday, 16
ROBERT LOWERY, JEAN PARKER & BILL HENRY in
"THE NAVY WAY"
Capt. America No. 10 and comedy.

Sunday-Monday, 21-22
JOAN FONTAINE, ORSON WELLES & MARGARET O'BRIEN in
"JANE EYRE"
News and Comedy

Tuesday-Wednesday, 23-24
TYRONNE POWER & MYRNA LOY in
"THE RAINS COME"
Short Subjects.

Thursday-Friday, 25-26
EDDIE BRACKEN, BETTY HUTTON & DIANA LYNN in
"THE MIRACLE OF MORGAN'S CREEK"
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Leetown News

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Lowe of Hillsdale, Miss., visited Mr. Harbert Lee and family Friday.

Mrs. Theodore Stockstill and little son and Miss Irene Baker are visiting in Jackson this week end.

Mrs. Jennett Walker and Mrs. Elmo Dunaway visited their sister who has been a patient for several weeks at the Baptist Hospital in New Orleans.

We regret very much to hear of the death of Mr. Ira Lee's son. We extend to them our deepest sympathy.

Mrs. Zack Lee is spending a few days with her parents at Purvis, Miss.

Mrs. Shelby Lee and daughter Betty Lou are visiting relatives at Bush, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Spiers and daughter Bernice were guests of Mr. Roger Lee and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex C. Quave visited Mr. T. J. Lee and family this week end.

F. J. Lee who is working at the Marine Base at Henderson Point was home this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ne-caise and two children visited Mr. Ne-caise's parents Mr. and Mrs. D. Ne-caise at Picaune Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rester and family of Mobile, Alabama, visited relatives in Lee Town on Sunday.

Mr. R. W. Lee and Aunt Jennie Lee were called to Bogalouza Monday on account of serious illness of their sister.

Mrs. Montora Lee and Miss Elois Lee spent the week end in Picaune visiting relatives.

Mr. Freeman Lee spent Sunday with relatives in Caesar.

Miss Susie Rea Lee spent the week with her grandmother Aunt Martha Stockstill.

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City Echoes

—Mrs. C. E. Craft and little son are visiting relatives in Hattiesburg, Miss.

—Mrs. Horace L. Kergosien is a patient at Baptist Hospital in New Orleans.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold May are occupying one of the Stevenson apartments on South Beach.

—Rev. Andrew Allison was guest speaker in the First Presbyterian Church at Houston, Texas, on May 7th.

—Mr. and Mrs. Emmett L. Betzer had as their week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Rolfs and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Betzer.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Strong of New Orleans, spent the week end as guests of Mr. Strong's mother Mrs. Charles Strong.

—Mrs. Nora F. Jones of New Orleans spent the past week end here as the guest of Mrs. Isabelle Joyner and other friends.

—Mrs. W. T. Harkey spent last Thursday and Friday here as the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitfield.

—The many friends of Mrs. Robert L. Genin are pleased to know that she is recovering rapidly from a recent appendectomy.

—Mrs. C. C. McDonald left Tuesday night for Jackson where she will attend a meeting of the State Board of Public Welfare.

—Mrs. E. Shave and daughter, Mrs. Irma Wenzel were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Kohler at their lovely home on North Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson came out from New Orleans for the weekend which they spent at their summer home in Waveland.

—PFC. Fabian A. Favre is home in a ten day furlough from Camp Swift, Texas, visiting his mother, Mrs. Caroline Favre.

—Benjamin Brantford Edwards, junior officer in the maritime service spent Sunday here at the home of relatives in Washington street.

—Mrs. Albert Hitt of Mobile, Ala., has undergone a serious major operation at General Hospital in Gulfport. Mrs. Hitt was the former Fahey Smith of this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Ansley and several members of their large and interesting family, including Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ansley, Mrs. Scott Hoover and daughter Mrs. Fred Van Roo and Miss Myrtle Ansley enjoyed a delightful picnic at Ponchartraine Beach in New Orleans, on Sunday, of last week.

—Mr. George Schilling underwent an eye operation at the Veterans' Facility at Biloxi on Wednesday. He had a cataract removed from his right eye and reports from there that he is resting but his general condition is a little serious.

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131 MAIN STREET NEAR POST OFFICE

—Mr. and Mrs. Caffrey Pond and two little daughters came out to spend Mother's Day week end with Mr. Pond's parents Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Pond.

—Robert Briggs of San Antonio, Texas, spent Mother's Day here with his mother Mrs. M. W. Briggs and his brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frances Blaine Wilson left last Friday for New Orleans to spend Mother's Day with Mrs. Wilson's mother Mrs. W. G. Schmidt.

—Mrs. Russell Caffery who has been ill at her home on South Beach for the past few weeks is reported improved and is able to be up a part of each day.

—Sergeant J. Briscoe Goldman, A. F. A. is home from Camp Polk to spend a two-week furlough with his parents Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. J. Briscoe Goldman.

—Mrs. George R. Rea left Friday night for Cleveland, Ohio, for a six weeks visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harris. Mrs. Rea will return home about July first.

—Mrs. Lloyd George Wentworth and son Lloyd George, Jr., of Hattiesburg spent last week end here as the guest of Lt. Wentworth's mother Mrs. Agnes Wentworth.

—Cecil Williams, son of Mrs. Jeanne Williams of Clermont Harbor, was taken to the Touro Infirmary last Saturday and is reported seriously ill. Cecil is a junior at Bay High.

—Mrs. Alice Zerr who makes her home with her daughter Mrs. Alice Agreard at Clermont Harbor has been at the Touro Infirmary for the past week where she is still quite ill.

—Mrs. Charles Saucier and baby son Steve left Sunday for Gulfport for a week's visit to Mrs. Karl E. Wobelen. Mrs. Saucier had a Mother's Day cablegram from her husband Corporal Saucier who is in England.

—Sgt. Osmond A. Blaize is home on a short furlough from Chicago, where he has been on duty in the Army Postal Service. Upon returning to his station he expects to be transferred to a post in Pennsylvania.

—Mrs. M. O. Blanchard, former resident of this city, now residing in Mobile, Alabama, was a visitor to Bay St. Louis on Sunday, accompanied by her little daughter, Betsy, and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fayard for the day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Magee, former Mississippians, who have been employed at Veterans Hospital at Lake City Florida, are visiting with Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Baker. After May 20th they will be at home at 415 Main street.

—Rod Adams, son of Mrs. Lester Adams of Pearlinton fell from a tree at the home of his grandmother Mrs. Rod Boardman and broke his leg. He was taken to the Kings Daughters Hospital at Gulfport for treatment. Mrs. Adams is preparing to leave shortly with her children for Canada to spend the summer in order to be near Captain Adams who is stationed there.

—Mr. and Mrs. Justin Green of New Orleans are visiting Mr. Green's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Green, Sr. and family. Mr. Green is connected with the Government Finance and is here to attend the Bankers' Convention being held in Biloxi. Mrs. Robert Habens and little daughter Jo Ann, granddaughter and great-granddaughter, respectively, of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Green, Sr., are also visiting the family at their home on South Beach.

—Mrs. C. W. Fountain, Jr., arrived this week from Atlanta, Georgia, for an extended stay with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Otis of Logtown. Lieut. Fountain expects to join her here later for a short furlough.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jules Burg had as their guests last week end Mrs. Burg's mother Mrs. J. C. Mims, Mr. and Mrs. A. Siren, Mrs. S. M. Dick and two little daughters Carolyn and Jane, all of New Orleans. They came to be present at the Bay High May Festival of which Miss Marie Louise Burg was queen.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitfield spent Wednesday in New Orleans.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Richardson are spending two weeks at their summer home at Waveland.

—Miss Louise A. Crawford and niece Mrs. Fred Peranich were business visitors to New Orleans on Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Besancon of New Orleans spent Mother's Day with Mrs. Besancon's mother Mrs. A. J. Besancon and family.

—Miss Nellie McDonald has returned to her home in Tennessee after having spent several months here with her sister-in-law Mrs. W. A. McDonald.

—Miss John McDonald arrived Tuesday evening from Corpus Christi, for a visit to Mrs. W. A. McDonald and the C. C. McDonalds for a week and to attend the graduation of Lt. McDonald's nephew Fred McDonald.

—Girl Scouts of Troop No. 1 sponsored by the Methodist Church will hold their annual Court of Awards in the Woodmen Hall on Second street at 8 P. M., Saturday, May 20. At this time badges earned and the Perkins trophy for advancement and general scout spirit will be presented. Parents and friends of the girls, are asked to attend.

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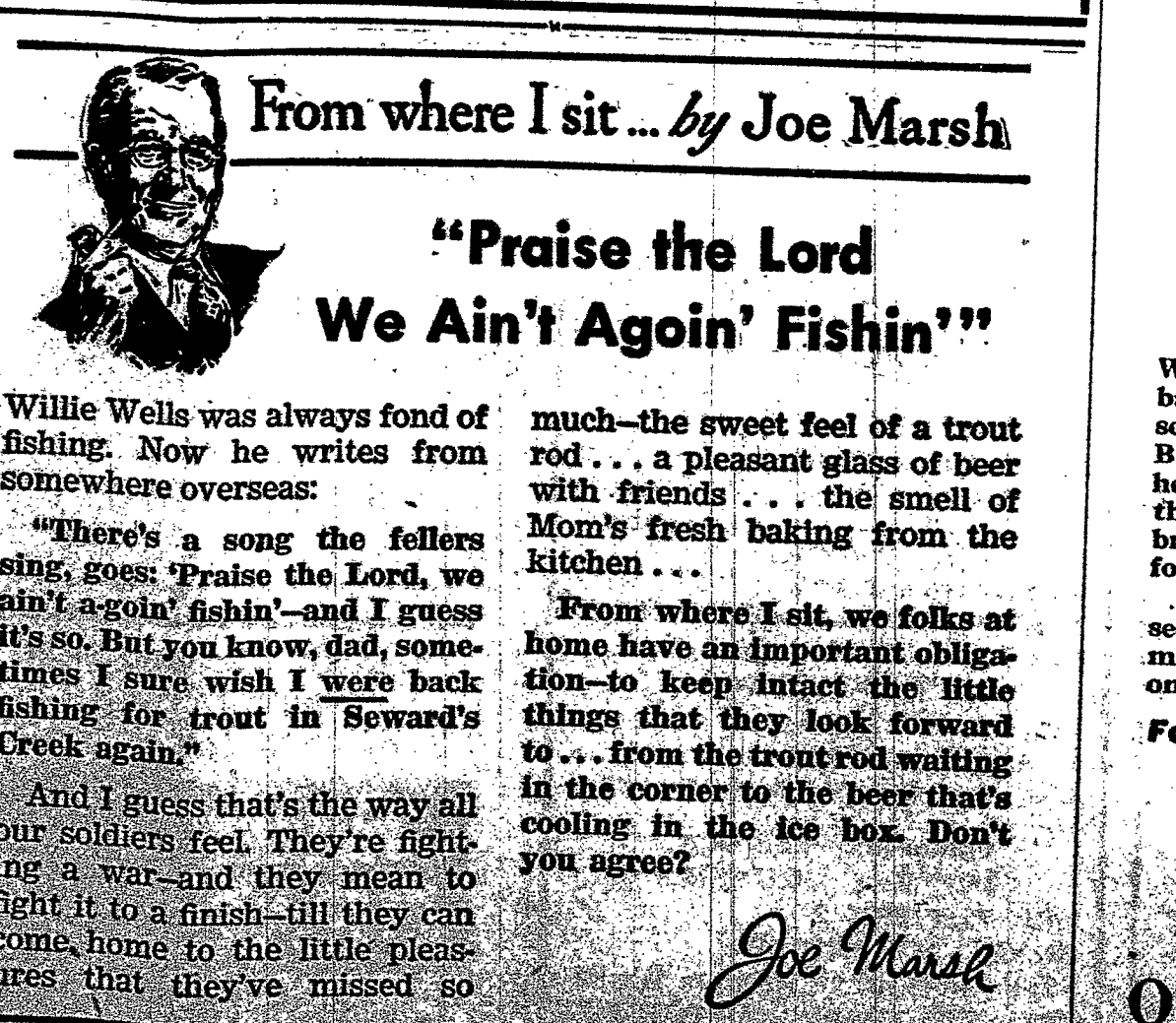
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And I guess that's the way all our soldiers feel. They're fighting a war—and they mean to fight it to a finish—till they can come home to the little pleasures that they missed so much—the sweet feel of a trout rod . . . a pleasant glass of beer with friends . . . the smell of Mom's fresh baking from the kitchen . . .

From where I sit, we folks at home have an important obligation—to keep intact the little things that they look forward to . . . from the troutrod waiting in the corner to the beer that's cooling in the ice box. Don't you agree?

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—Major and Mrs. T. M. Hendrix have received word from their son Tracy Hendrix that he will be stationed for four months at the Receiving Center, at Bainbridge, Maryland.

—Mr. Karl R. Ewald, Jr., of Centerville, Miss. and New Orleans, visited friends in Bay St. Louis, while enroute to Biloxi, where he attended the State Bankers' Convention. Mr. Ewald has friends here and on the Coast.

—Mrs. O. T. Arnold had as her guests last week end Miss Cora Miller and Mr. Earl Bancroft of Mobile, Ala. Miss Miller and Mr. Bancroft are also friends of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Mauffray, so Mrs. Arnold entertained both couples and little Larry Mauffray at a charming dinner to celebrate Larry's Solemn Communion Day.

—Miss Carol Stevenson has been given first honors at St. Josephs Academy and will be Valedictorian of her class. Second honors go to Miss Mary Frances Scafield who will deliver the Salutatory address.

NOTICE TO COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

On accordance with the provisions of Section 6583, Chapter 237, Laws 1938, there will be a meeting of the members of the Hancock County School Board on Monday, the 29th day of May, 1944.

Said meeting will be held at the Courthouse, in the office of the County Superintendent, on said date, at 9:30 A. M.

Ordered, this, the 17th day of May, 1944.

(Signed) SAM L. FAVRE, JR.
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